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Answer the questions using full sentences.

1 What book does the passage come from?

2 What are the names of the two characters in the extract?

3 Which character does not speak English?

4 What could be dangerous about drinking water from the big can?

5 How was the cave lit?

6 Can you draw a sketch to show how Stig's water supply worked?

Notes for teachers

Help the children to read the passage slowly and carefully, ensuring that they understand the story. Talk about how the two characters are managing to communicate. Do the children understand how the teapot worked as a lamp? Discuss the questions with them and encourage them to work out their answers orally before putting anything down on paper. Do they remember to write in complete sentences, using appropriate punctuation? For question 6, help the children to read the 'plumbing' section of the passage as a guide for their sketch.